

Name	Generation (April-July 2000) (In GWH)		Target achieved (%)
GMR Vasavi	477	468	98.1
NALCO IMP	200	161	80.5
ICCL IMP	132	172	130.3
DLF Assam	60	33	55.0

### Power Projects in NER

1970. SHRI PRAKANTA WARISA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up power projects in the NER, particularly in the North Cachar Hills Districts of Assam;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. There are as many as 10 power projects (including Kopili H.E. Project St. II-25-MW— in North Cachar Hills of Assam) with an aggregate capacity of 1360 MW under execution in N.E. Region and Sikkim. The details are given in the Statement (*See below*)

In addition, the following projects have been identified for capacity addition during the Tenth Plan and beyond:—

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| 1. Tuivai HEP (3×70 MW)                | Mizoram           |
| 2. Kameng HEP (4×150 MW)               | Arunachal Pradesh |
| 3. Myntdu HEP St. I (2×42 MW)          | Meghalaya         |
| 4. Gas Turbine project (500 MW)        | Tripura           |
| 5. Ranganadi HEP St. II (180 MW)       | Arunachal Pradesh |
| 6. Dikrong HEP (100 MW)                | Arunachal Pradesh |
| 7. Lower Kopili HEP (150 MW)           | Assam             |
| 8. Tipaimukh HEP (1500 MW)             | Manipur           |
| 9. Subansiri & Dihang Basin (20700 MW) | Arunachal pradesh |

The following State sector projects are also under examination in the Central Electricity Authority (CEA) for techno-economic clearance:

1. Bairabi HEP (80 MW) Mizoram
2. Kolodyne St. I HEP (2×60 (MW) Mizoram
3. Lakwa Waste Heat Recovery Unit (1×38 MW) Assam
4. HFO Based TPS in Dimapur (4×6 MW) Nagaland
5. HFO Based DGPP at Bairabi (20 MW) Mizoram

#### Statement

*Details of the power projects under execution in North Eastern Region and Sikkim*

Sl. No.	Project With Installed Capacity	Type	State	Implementing Agency
1.	Ranganadi Stage-I (3×135 MW)	Hydro	Arunachal Pradesh	NEEPCO
2.	Karbi Langpi (2×50 MW)	Hydro	Assam	ASEB
3.	Dhansiri (5×3×1.33 MW)	Hydro	Assam	ASEB
4.	Kopili Stage-II*(1×25 MW)	Hydro	Assam	NEEPCO
5.	Tuirial (2×30 MW)	Hydro	Mizoram	NEEPCO
6.	Likim-Ro (3×8 MW)	Hydro	Nagaland	State
7.	Loktak D/S (3×30 MW)	Hydro	Manipur	NHPC
8.	Leimakhong DGPP (6×6 MW)	Thermal	Manipur	State



Sl. No.	Project With Capacity	Installed Type	State	Implementing Agency
9.	Amguri Gas Based (3×30 MW) (yet to start)	Thermal	Assam	Private
10.	Teesta-V (510 MW)	Hydro	Sikkim	NHPC

\*The Kopili HE Project is in North Cachar hills of Assam.

### **Impact of Earthquake on Tehri Dam Structure**

1971. SHRI RAMACHANDRAIAH RUMANDLA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Tehri Dam structure was unaffected by the last earthquake in Chamoli; and

(b) if so, the views of the experts in this regard?

(THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Experts from the Geological Survey of India (GSI) who had inspected the site had confirmed that no damage was observed in the Tehri Dam structure due to Chamoli Earthquake.

### **Fall in Power Generation**

1972. SHRI ABANI ROY: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the target of power generation may fall by 30 per cent during the current plan period;

(b) if so, the exact cause of fall in power generation;

(c) whether the private sector has not come forward to generate power as per expectations; and

(d) if so, the steps taken by the Government to boost power generation to achieve targets?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) The Planning Commission had envisaged a target of 40,245.2 MW for the 9th Plan.